

Holt County Sentinel

OREGON, JULY 30, 1875.

Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs R. R.

TIME CARD NO. 24.

Taking effect Sunday, May 23rd, 1875.

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County Court Proceedings.

Adjourned Session.

Monday, July 19, the Court met, pursuant to adjournment, Judges Collicott, Anderson and Van Worman on the bench; J. H. C. Curtis, clerk, and S. T. Lucas, sheriff.

H. L. Ahlstrom presented settlement as road overseer, district 17. Approved. Commissioners Joel Hester, and Bennett King, made report of the widening and extending of the Levee near Forest City. Report approved.

T. H. Parrish presents the petition of Sam. A. Garth and others, praying that a certain ditch be cut for draining purposes, in connection with the overflow of Mill Creek. Received and continued until the next regular session, Monday, August 2nd.

Court ordered that the personal tax of George Clark, erroneously assessed twice, be refunded.

County Clerk Curtis, makes report of the valuation of the taxable property owned in the county by the Kansas City, St. Joseph and Council Bluffs Railroad Company, as follows:

Valuation
No. of miles 37.556 \$451,401.21
State tax \$2,631.30
County tax 4,062.51
Road tax 451.40

The valuation by townships is as follows:
Forbes, miles 8.74 \$105,015.66
Lewis 9.585 114,388.26
Bigelow 7.79 92,877.66
Union 7.37 89,943.66
Lincoln 4.37 53,155.83

VALUATION IN TOWNS.
Corning 4,881.30
Forest City 6,630.50
Bigelow 4,532.76
Craig 4,695.63

Whereupon it was ordered by the Court that the following taxes be levied upon the valuation of said railroad property, as follows:

For State purposes 20 cents on each \$100.
For county purposes, 40 cents.
For Road and Bridge, 20 cents.
For Poor House, 20 cents.
Internal Improvement 20 cents.
Interest on State indebtedness, 25 cents.

For school tax to district—
Wm. G. McIntyre, Collector of Holt county, returned the land delinquent list for 1874, praying for judgment on said list, to enforce the lien of the State against the tracts of land and lots therein mentioned. The judgment was granted, and the sale of the delinquent tracts will take place the 1st of Monday in October next.

P. M. Paschal presents settlement as overseer of road district 44.
Joel C. Denny was released from poll tax for the year of 1875.

Court ordered the taxes on the 20 40-100ths acres in sec. 2, township 61, range 37, for 1869, 1870 and 1871, which are erroneous, refunded to T. C. Dunagan, owner.

Rev. E. S. Eyerly presents the remonstrance of Rev. J. S. McClung and others against granting dramshop licenses, which remonstrance is received and ordered that no more dramshop licenses be granted by this Court.

J. H. C. Curtis presents calculation of stone work on jail and vault, and a warrant was awarded to James Rollins contractor, for \$2,406.91 for said work.

Ordered that the Treasurer of Holt county be authorized and be required to transfer the money in the township Road Fund to the Road and Bridge Fund.

A warrant of \$102.10 was awarded to Boyd M. McCreary, sheriff of Howard county, Mo., for conveying prisoners to Holt county.

The bonds of the following road overseers were approved:
S. B. Forney, district 2; John F. Seyforth, district 6; Otis Hollenbeck, district 48; Wm. Ruhl, district 26; David Barbour, district 5; G. W. McNulty, district 22; Dan Zachman, district 8; James Counsins, district 19; John Gallier, district 15; Wm. M. Catron, district 29; W. C. Andes, district 21; Wm. H. Poynter, district 1; D. W. Freeman, district 42; Ulrich Bucher, district 12; Bennett King, district 11.

The Court stands adjourned until the next regular session, which will be the 1st Monday in August—being the 2nd day of the month.

BASE BALL.
Content Between the New Pointers and Centennials of Oregon.

Saturday afternoon was a gay time for our base ballists, and was witnessed by scores of people. The game opened brilliantly for the New Pointers, being very much ahead of the Centennials on the first four innings.

A threatening cloud and a rain put a temporary check on the playing; and a suspension of operations was agreed to until after the rain. The rain over, the combat was renewed with increased vigor, and the tables turned completely in favor of the Centennials. Below is the score:

NEW POINTERS. CENTENNIALS. O. R.
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As an evidence of the good feeling between the two contesting clubs, the Centennials gave the Athletics a supper at Major Kelley's hotel, after the conclusion of the game.

Hoppers Are Going!
Glass Fruit Cans, at King & Oren's Drug Store, at Hopper Prices.
2244

The Oregon City Council will meet Tuesday evening, August 10th.

INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION.

Elm Grove Public School.

Mr. Editor: The 2nd Industrial Exposition and picnic of the Elm Grove Public School, which took place on Saturday, July 24th at the Notely Grove was a grand success. The beautiful grove was alive with a solid mass of teeming humanity, including men and women, and children of all ages. The number present have been variously estimated at over half a thousand.

At nine in the morning the school began its line of march from the school house, conducted by C. M. Mosher, H. R. Stuart, marshal, and in due season arrived within the enclosure of the school. After a short recess the circle swung were returned and the school members to their seats in front of speaker's stand, where they were delighted with some splendid singing by the Elm Grove choir. The singers were W. V. Nash, Miss Ida Monda, and Miss Harriet Mullins, soprano; Sam. Edge, tenor; Mary and Sarah Shepard, alto; M. E. Edge, bass.

The opening prayer was made by Elder J. W. Kelsey. A table fifty feet in length was put up, which was filled with the various articles of mechanism from the hands of the children. Below I will furnish some of the names.

BOYS' DEPARTMENT.
James Stuart, cart, single-tree and double-tree.
Lawrence Lease, boot-jack.
Joseph Buttrick, wagon, mouse-trap, wagon, mink-trap and table.
Levi Buttrick, double-tree and mole trap with mole in it.
Wm. Buttrick, wedge, wagon, mink-trap and table.
John W. Smith, two hammers, anvil and shoe-maker lathe.
Columbus Boyd, an ax, rake and boot-jack.
John W. Combs, wagon, rake and two yokes.
Wm. Shepard, rattle trap.
James Cook, wagon and boot-jack.
Nathan Moore, an ax handle.
Charles Moore, plow, hammer and hatchet.
Jessie Hicks, spade, rake and double-tree.
Obadiah Smith, a snake.

GIRLS' DEPARTMENT.
Julia Duke, handkerchiefs and patch mark.
Flora Buttrick, quilt block.
Mary Book, comb case.
Christina Book, pin cushion.
Ellen Lease, quilt block.
Ida Williams, quilt block.
Beatrice Buttrick, handkerchiefs and book mark.
Mary Wing, picture frame and patch mark.
Annie Wing, quilt block.
Mary Spahn, handkerchiefs and patch mark.
Mary Baly, comb case.
Mary Shepard, handkerchiefs.
Edie Hinkle, framed one chromo.

There were seventy-four other articles not mentioned in the above, made by the girls.

PROGRAMME.
Singing by the choir.
Concert reading, by B. class.
Composition, by Mary Wing.
Singing by the choir.
Composition by Mary Book.
A class history.
Singing by Mary Book, "Orphan's Home."

Reading classes, two prizes given.
First Reader, Charles Williams, first prize; Ida Will, 2nd prize.
Second Reader, Wm. Smith, first prize; Douglas Buttrick 2nd prize.
Third Reader, Warren Buttrick, first prize; Chaney Wells, 2nd prize.
Fourth Reader, Mary Book, 1st prize.

Fifth Reader, Julia Duke, 1st prize; Mary Shepard, 2nd prize.
Singing by the choir.
Select Reading by classes.
Address by Rev. J. W. Kelsey.
Singing by the choir.
Address by C. M. Mosher.
Singing by the choir.

We expected Mr. Ed. Anibal and several other speakers, but failed to get them.
The judges on reading were R. P. Lewis, S. Edge and Miss Bettie Griffin. You will see from the above that Elm Grove still lives and that C. M. Mosher has met with grand success as a teacher, and he speaks for himself in the school room.

We are happy to note that the patrons of the school are beginning to take a deeper interest in local educational matters.

Thanks are especially due to the directors of this district for the interest they have taken in the success of the school.

July 27, 1875.

Wine Product of New Jersey.
This State is becoming celebrated for grape culture. Some of the richest wine in the world is produced in New Jersey by Mr. Alfred Speer, whose name has become celebrated as a producer of strictly pure unadulterated wine. The Port Grape Wine of Mr. Speer is not bottled or put in market until it is four years old, and has become thoroughly fine and mellow. It has proved itself a wonderful assistant to physicians, who prescribe it from the fact that they have hitherto found it difficult to obtain a pure Port Wine. This Wine is recommended for debilitated persons, and is given to convalescents to use with fresh raw eggs, and as a medium for taking cod liver oil. The difficulty of getting an imported or even a pure California Port wine, has been overcome to be so great as to preclude Doctors from allowing their patients to run the risk of its use. Mr. Speer being aware of this fact has taken the utmost care in the making of his wine from the ripest and finest grapes, so as to supplant the imported wines by producing a genuine article. His wines are known by chemists to be pure and the most reliable for medicinal purposes. The Druggists throughout the country sell it, as bottled by Mr. Speer.—Chronicle.

Personal Notices.

Miss Emma Hoffman has just returned from Nebraska City, where for the last seven weeks she had been visiting at her uncle's.

—Miss Carrie Bond, daughter of Dr. Bond, of Atchison county, was in town several days last week, the guest of Mr. G. P. Luckhardt.

—W. B. Orr, of the firm of Ford & Orr, Forest City, returned to his home last Friday after an absence of some ten days in Southeastern Iowa.

—Mr. L. C. Smith formerly in the employ of Ira Reeme, but lately superintendent of the Bluff City Sunday School, left Forest City on Friday evening, last, bound for London, England.

Mr. S. intends to remain about one year in the old country, when he will return to America.

—Mr. T. S. Pindexter, who resides on the "Browlax mill" property, returned to his home last week after an absence in Virden, Illinois, of upward of two months, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. P. reports a high state of prosperity in that part of Illinois. Macopin county, where Virden is situated, is one of the best farming counties in the state. Some years ago the people of Macopin authorized the county commissioners to build a new Court House. Bonds were issued and a magnificent structure was erected costing two millions of dollars. The building is magnificent and spacious enough to be the capitolium of some great State, and the tax-payers of Macopin county feel very uncomfortable under the load of debt.

—Mrs. F. L. Sommer and child and younger brother, of St. Joseph, are visiting in this city and are the guests of Mr. Gemecker.

—Mr. Leigh Pope and father, of Western Kansas, passed through here on their way to Fillmore. They represent the crops as looking very fine in the Solomon River valley, and in fact, in all parts of Western and Northern Kansas where they passed through. The flies, they say, were very bad on their horses.

—Mr. Robt. Taylor and his son A. C. Taylor, came down from Union township with a load of wool which they took to Kunkel's factory. Three weeks ago Mr. A. C. Taylor returned from Tennessee where he had been four or five weeks—visiting friends.

—Philip Schlotzauer left here Wednesday on his way to Platt Grove, Cooper county, where he intends to remain four or five months.

—George Enyas has established a produce store at the corner, near Watson & Keever, east of the City Hotel. He will make butter a specialty. His arrangements are such that he can keep it fresh and sweet for a long time. He will pay cash for all kinds of produce. Give him a call.

—Martin Jetter, who resides some 8 miles northeast of Oregon, has commenced building a new frame farm residence, 16 by 28 feet, with an L. 10 by 12 feet addition, to be completed before winter.

—John Miller, who resides three miles east of Oregon, has traded his 80 acre farm and 20 acres of timber, to T. C. Dunagan for 200 acres of land in the upper part of the county.

City News.
Oregon Lodge No. 139, A. F. & A. M. will meet in regular communication on Monday eve Aug. 3d, 1875. Work in 3d degree. By order of W. M. J. C. Vess, Sec.

—The next term of the Oregon Public School will begin on the second Monday of September. The Board having secured an efficient corps of teachers is prepared to accommodate all our own enrolled pupils and as many more as may wish to come from neighboring districts. Oregon presents excellent facilities for educating and boarding scholars.

—Rev. W. C. Falconer, president of the Highland University, will preach at the Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock A. M. Sunday August 1st.

—The brick sidewalk in front of Mr. Henry Strick's hotel property is being repaired by John Masters, sr. Right.

—The recent heavy rains have interfered to some extent with brick making in Moss Bennett's brick yard.

—At a bore of 665 ft. Messrs. Kunkel, whose wooden factory, situated 4 miles east of Oregon, struck a vein of bituminous coal measuring 44 feet. This thickness will amply pay to have a shaft sunk and the mine worked. At Leavenworth they work a two-foot vein at a depth of 710 feet, and make it pay. The Messrs. Kunkel not having the capital to spare to sink a shaft and operate the mine invite capitalists to assist in developing the resources of this rich mine. Who will undertake it?

—There will be preaching at the Court House in this city on Sunday next August 1st, at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M., by an elder of the church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

THE EFFECT.
Saloon licenses in this county stopped on the Fourth of July last, yet we do not observe any diminution of drinking—on the contrary an increase is visible. The saloons are open as usual, the only difference is, men now buy the critter by the gallon whereas formerly they could have it by the dram. We hear of many instances where they buy by the gallon and then go out on the street and behind sheds and drink it in company with persons who are always ready to lend a helping hand. Two new drug stores have lately been started in Forest City.

During the late temperance picnic in this city some unknown parties took to town a keg of whisky and drank it out promiscuously in a stable. We had not seen as many drunken men for four years as on that single day. It was perfectly sickening.

County News.

We learn through Wm. A. Hinkle, that a little daughter of J. W. Haigler, who resides four miles West of Bigelow, died on Sunday, July 25th, of summer complaint. It had attained the age of one year and six months.

—The friends in the Chambers' district have nearly finished building a new school house for the accommodation of that neighborhood. The structure measures 24 by 28 feet, but as the school children increase very fast in that part of the county, it is a pity the dimensions are not greater. There are already ninety scholars enrolled.

—A few weeks ago a romantic wedding took place at one of the "Squire offices" in this county. The parties to the marriage came in from a neighboring county, the lady being a well-to-do good looking elderly widow with two children. The story goes on to state that she had two suitors, the successful one buying off the other with a cow and a calf. The compromise being satisfactory all around, no hard feelings were indulged in.

—Mrs. Morris, the wife of Robert Morris, of the New Point neighborhood, received some severe injuries the other day by falling from a wagon. As near as we can learn, she was at the time of the accident, sitting on a chair in a wagon and in driving over a rough place in the road the chair tipped over causing her to fall out. She had an arm broken and a wrist dislocated.

—On July 23rd, we learn a Mrs. Hawkins near New Point, died after a very brief illness. No particulars.

—Messrs. Jones & Co.'s new steam saw mill, recently located on Mr. J. L. Campbell's timber land, two miles south of Oregon, is now in full blast. Lumber for all practical purposes is being sawed at this mill.

—The fine 12 story brick residence of Mr. Andy Butler, situated half a mile northwest of Oregon, is rapidly approaching completion. It is a structure of 16x28 feet, with an L. 14x16. It has a beautiful gothic front, and the house is quite an ornament to this part of the county. There were about 45,000 bricks used in its construction, which were obtained at Moss Bennett's Brick Yard.

Sabbath School Picnic.
Delegates from nine Sunday Schools held a convention in Milton, Atchison county, Mo., on the 25th of July, 1875, and chose Dr. B. Bond, chairman, and E. Hodson, sec.

Dr. Bond on taking the chair, made a few explanatory remarks concerning the object of the convention. The convention then passed the following resolutions:

1. Resolved, That we the delegates of the several Sunday schools here present, do hereby unite in getting up a Sunday School Picnic, to be held in the vicinity of Milton, on the 25th of August, 1875.

2. Res. That a committee of three Campbell, McDonald and Wm. Gandy were appointed said committee.

3. Res. That Dr. B. Bond, J. B. Denny and D. R. McDaniel be a committee on programme.

4. Res. That the committee on selecting ground be constituted a committee on arrangement.

5. Res. That Dr. B. Bond act as marshal of the day.

6. Res. That all Sunday school workers and friends of Sunday schools are respectfully invited to attend.

7. Res. That the secretary furnish the Atchison County Journal and the Holt County Sentinel copies of these proceedings for publication.

E. HODSON, Sec.

Marriages.
Married, July 25, 1875, by Elder T. L. Cartwright, at the residence of White Cloud, Miss FLORE HADAMON, of Holt county, Mo. to Miss F. STORM, of White Valley, Mo.

Married, July 25, 1875, in White Valley, Mo. Miss FLORE HADAMON, of Holt county, Mo. to Miss F. STORM, of White Valley, Mo.

The Cradle.
Born, July 16, 1875, to Thomas H. and Anne Parrish—a daughter.

The Grave.
Rev. F. H. Graham, father of Mrs. Kate G. Holt, postmaster of this city, died in Kansas City, Mo., July 24, 1875.

July 24, 1875. Mr. Graham, it will be remembered, had charge of the M. E. Church of this place some three years ago. He was at the time of his death residing elder of the Mason district, M. E. Church.

SPECIAL NOTICES.
Grand Temperance Basket Pic Nic.
At the Springs, Aug. 5, 1875.

In view of the glorious victory gained by the friends of temperance in Holt county, it has been thought advisable to have a Temperance Rally and Re-Union, and after consultation with friends in the Northern part of the county it has been decided to have a Basket Pic Nic at Kunkel's Springs, on the 26th day of August. Several prominent men have been invited and will be present to address the people on that occasion.

The Mound City Club will furnish music, and a committee has been appointed by the Mound City Lodge of Good Templars to make arrangements. Everybody that feels at all enthusiastic, are invited. By order of the MOUND CITY CENTRAL COM.

TO THE PUBLIC!
Opening Out at the Old Stand.

I DESIRE to inform my fellow-citizens of Oregon and Holt county, that after a suspension of nearly four weeks, I have reopened business at my Old Stand, West side Public Square, and I am now prepared to sell as follows:

Pure Whisky by the gallon.
Lager Beer & Wine by the gallon.
Ginger Ale, Soda Pop & Sarsaparilla by the bottle.
Cider & Lemonade by the glass.

I always keep on hand an assortment of Choice Cigars.

My Billiard Department is fitted up in the most attractive manner, and the BILLIARD TABLE is accessible at all times to the lovers of that entertaining pastime.

S. J. KYGLE.

Highland University.

This institution will open September 1st, 1875. A full Faculty with able Assistants in all departments.

The complete courses open to both sexes. Classical and Philosophical, and Scientific, including French and German. Excellent Apparatus and large Library. Lectures and Manual drills for special benefit of those desiring to teach. Four Literary Societies—two male and two female. Children of Clergymen of all denominations pay half tuition. Special rates for special cases.

Board in "Young Ladies' Home," and in private families \$3.00 per week. Arrangements have been made to furnish suitable accommodations on the co-operative plan for both young ladies and gentlemen in separate buildings. Rooms to be furnished by the students to suit themselves, are provided free of rent. The whole is under the control of the President, and conducted by a competent Steward. The expenses will be equally distributed among the boarders monthly. Thus the price of good wholesome boarding can be regulated by the club.

Actual experiment shows that good board on this plan need not cost over \$1.75 per week. The plan is popular in the East and West with rich and poor. Let no one stay away from wealth of money. If you can't pay full tuition, or if you desire any special arrangement or information, write to W. C. FALCONER, President, Highland, Kansas.

RYE! RYE!
1000 Bushels of Seed Rye FOR SALE.

I will have 1000 bushels of Rye threshed and for sale August 25th day of August. Parties wishing to get seed rye should call at once at my place, 34 miles north of Mound City, Mo. T. W. MCCOY.

All kinds of trade taken in exchange for pictures at Cottrell's gallery, Oregon, or at D. E. Cottrell & Co's gallery at Forest City on reasonable terms.

WE WILL GIVE
7 cents in cash or trade for Grease or Lard that will do to grease wood, 34 cents in trade for soft soap.

Quarterly Meeting
The last quarterly meeting of this conference year will be held at the German M. E. Church, on the 1st of August, 1875. The Presiding Elder, Rev. Mr. Tanner, will be present and conduct the services. All friends of the charge are cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE To Stockholders.
The Stockholders of the Holt County Flouring Mill Company will hold their Annual Election at the Office of the Company in Forest City, Missouri, according to Art. 1st, Sec. 1st, as follows:

"The annual meeting of Stockholders for the election of a Board of Directors shall be held at the Office of the Company in Forest City, Mo., on the 1st of August, 1875, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon. The President of the Company, or his agent, shall be present to receive the votes of the stockholders, who shall be entitled to vote in person or by proxy. The proxy shall be in writing, and shall be signed by the stockholder, and shall be deposited at the Office of the Company, at least ten days before the meeting. The stockholders shall be entitled to elect a Board of Directors, whose term of office shall be one year or until their successors are chosen."

V. L. GRAHAM, Sec. J. P. ADAMS, Treas.

DISPOSAL OF ANIMAL GARD FROM MR. ANIBAL.
ED. SEVER: Please announce that it is imperative upon every District Clerk in each School District in the county to send to